

## Clearing Sale

OF

### Men's and Boy's Suits and Overcoats



Beginning September 4th and continuing for 30 days \$2,000 worth of

Suits and Overcoats to be swept out slick and clean at this gigantic sale. This stock consists of High Grade Clothing for Men, Boys and Children. We bought a big stock at Calgary at bankrupt prices and are now offering them at less than manufacturers prices. If you want to get a new suit this fall now is your chance to get it less than the regular cost price. Hats going at half-price during this sale. We invite you to call.

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## Special Sale

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Lawn, Regular \$1.75 now.....	\$1.10
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Lawn, regular \$1.35, now.....	75
White silk, regular \$5.00, now.....	\$3.25
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## BILL BAILEY Is Back Again

Have secured a car of finest fruit

Quality and Prices will be O.K.

100 Boxes of Peaches in now. Very Choice Stock

Salt \$2.50 per barrel till end of month

Don't forget

**Bill Bailey**

## AROUND THE TOWN

Eggs wanted at C. C. Pearson's. ICE FOR SALE.—Apply A. A. Perrin.

Mrs. Vincent left Didsbury on Monday's train.

Dan McIlhargy was a visitor to town on Saturday last.

Jack McIlhargy was a visitor to town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Andrew Weber returned from Vancouver, on Friday evening's train.

There will be fire practice on Monday night. All firemen kindly take notice and attend.

J. Anderson, our strong man, is back again at the Alexandra Hotel as porter.

A. Belford of New York City, is visiting with H. W. Chambers, for a few days.

The cheapest place to buy your rolled oats and wheatlets is at C. C. Pearson's.

Mr. Sullivan Reiber, late of Port Elgin, Ont., has accepted a position with W. G. Liesemer.

FOR SALE—One 2 horse power, gasoline engine, never been used. Cheap. Easy terms. Apply Gilmore the baker.

J. M. Reed has opened up an office adjoining C. L. Peterson's and is still in the Real Estate Insurance and Loan business.

Mr. J. B. Detweiler left for Mayton, Alta. on Saturday morning's train. He will remain there for two Sunday's.

The Edmonton Beulah Mission have opened a girls home in connection with the mission under the superintendency of Miss M. E. Chatham.

BARGAIN FOR CASH.—Genuine Edison Standard Phonograph with two and four minute record attachment, 13 two minute records and three four minute records, a good record case that will hold 36 records. A bargain for cash. Apply at Pioneer Office, Didsbury.

Rev. Mr. Gugin left on Monday's train, August 30, for Stettler, and is going out to Castor. He is going to hold tabernacle meetings there for three Sunday's. He will then come back to Stettler and open up a city mission. Miss L. Eby and Miss M. Adam will be in charge of the mission.

C. Hiebert has joined the firm of Gaddes & Findlay Real Estate which will bear the name hereafter of Hiebert, Gaddes, Findlay, Co. Ltd. The new firm will continue their business in Didsbury as heretofore, besides opening an office in Calgary which is hoped to assist the Didsbury Office in the meeting of outside buyers who might otherwise not be influenced and look over the Didsbury district. If you wish to sell your property list it with Hiebert, Gaddes, Findlay Co. Ltd. All contracts with the old firm will remain good.

WANTED—A hired girl for family of four. Apply Pioneer Office. Miss Melrose paid a visit to Carstairs this week.

J. E. Liesemer is visiting Calgary on a business trip this week.

SPECIAL GLOVE SALE.—Men's unlined summer gloves going at cost price. G. Peters.

Mr. E. Weber, returned from Vancouver in the early part of the week.

W. R. Vogel, the photographer was visiting the east country this week.

A party composed of O. R. Lavers, H. S. Patterson, O. W. Hembling, C. Hiebert and Master Corny Hiebert, spent the weekend at Fallen Timber Creek. The weather was perfect, and they report a good time. They caught a goodly number of fish.

It is with great regret that we have to report the death of Mr. David Weber. Mr. Weber has been suffering from heart trouble for some considerable time, and the end came on August 25th. He was well known in this district and was held in high esteem by all. His age was 50 years and 10 months.

Mr. Davidson was in town last week to discuss with our popular mail driver, H. Metcalf the advisability of changing the mail drivers so as to enable Mr. Metcalf to take the mail to Aeme. Mr. Metcalf has been driving the mail from Didsbury for some considerable time, and has gained a reputation for being obliging. We will be sorry to see him go.

A fishing party composed of A. Studer, J. E. Stauffer, A. J. McKenzie, V. D. Haag, W. G. Liesemer, F. N. Ballard, D. C. Corbitt, went north on last Saturday's train enroute for Red Deer, where they were met by Mr. Thomas Gaetz who acted as guide to the party, showing them the principal places of interest in and around Red Deer. The party later proceeded to Sylvan lake where they had splendid fishing, returning with about 200 lbs of fish.

### Presentation to Mr. Elliot

An interesting presentation took place at the Opera House on Monday night last, when Mr. J. Elliot was the recipient of a handsome gold watch and fob, from his friends in town, the occasion being his departure from the town. Jack left on Tuesday morning's train for Erma, on the G.T.P. railway at which place he is starting a hardware store of his own.

Jack has been at Didsbury for about three years, being employed at W. G. Liesemer's hardware store. He has by his good nature and geniality made himself popular, both in his business and socially. On behalf of his many Didsbury friends, we wish him every success in his new undertaking.

## UNION BANK OF CANADA

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Have you ever considered how important it is to have an account at your local bank, with recognized financial standing and credit? It would be a great advantage to you, whether you are a business man, a Farmer or a Rancher.

There are other substantial advantages in having an account with the Union Bank, including Interest at highest current rate on Savings Deposits.

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REMEMBER We have almost everything found in a first-class drug store.

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YOU CAN SAVE by buying your meat of us. Fact is our market is so reasonable that after shopping with us you carry away about as much money as you brought. Just think too of what

DELICIOUS ROASTS chops, etc., can be had from us. It's useless to expatiate on the good qualities of our meats as every housewife knows about them. For meats, buy ours. They're the best.

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## Didsbury Furniture Store

For Up-to-date Furniture Carpets, Linoleums, Wall Paper, Window Shades, Pianos and Organs

A suite of furnished rooms over store for rent

**R. Barron, Prop.**

# SOME NAVAL REVIEWS

GREAT BRITISH SEA SPECTACLES OF FORMER DAYS.

Recent Parade of the Fleet on the B-ent Recalls Former Displays of Warships—George III. Originated the Custom as Known Today, But Henry VIII. Held a Review of His Little Flotilla—Victoria's Pageant.

The great naval review in the S-ent of a few days ago recalls some of the most magnificent spectacles of past days.

Before the time of the Hanoverian regime reviews of our fighting ships were few and far between. Elizabeth held a review of her ships at Tilbury, when she gathered her troops there in readiness for the Spanish invasion by the formidable Armada. Her father, Henry VIII., had also once reviewed his scanty array of war vessels when his notable ship, the Great Harry, was added to the number, and supposed to be the one and only Dreadnought of its day.

It was George III. who first began the system of reviews of the fleet as we know it today. He was present at three such magnificent spectacles in his long reign, and in 1764 there was a mock fight of the ships for his benefit. But a review at that time was not the occasion of showing how ships could fight rather than a display of bunting, illuminations and fireworks. The victory of Trafalgar first drew general attention to our fleet, and a great review was held in 1805, when the peace so soon to be broken. This review was to celebrate, too, the visit of the allied fleet to the English coast, and was the occasion of a gallant display of ships.

George IV. was present at two reviews during his ten years' occupancy of the throne, though neither of them was particularly famous either for number of vessels or for the display of any striking incidents.

It was Queen Victoria who gave the review of the fleet its greatest significance in modern times. In 1842 she held her first review, with the Prince Consort, and it is noteworthy that the nearly every ship she saw at that time was after the pattern of the old Victoria, mounted exactly by the place where the review was. Steam was used in the navy at this time, but by the greater proportion of warships still depended on the wind for motive power.

There was a naval demonstration in 1844, in honor of the visit of King Louis Philippe, who was accompanied by a French squadron.

It was the memorable review of 1853 that the late Queen for the first time in history saw a navy that was independent of sails and wind for its progress. The screw-propeller, then, had actually appeared on some vessels by this date, and with mention of the present King accompanied Queen Victoria at the review, and saw his future fleet for the first time.

A striking spectacle was that of March 10, 1854, when the late Queen reviewed the fleet going out to actual fight in the Crimean War. Her Majesty, in the royal yacht, herself led the way into the Channel, and there bade the departing ships "God speed" and "Fare thee well" with waving hands.

The review of 1873, for the Shah of Persia's visit, when that monarch went with the Prince of Wales, around the assembled vessels, brought another feet home to the mind of our future King. "Wood" was going, iron was coming, as the motto for constructing warships. The "wooden walls" of Nelson's days had nearly all passed away, and the ironclads present at that review in 1873 saw the new style of ship in its infancy.

The year 1874 witnessed a fine review which was memorable because the late Queen for the first time saw the new "turret" vessels, eight of them, the latest and greatest wonders of her magnificent navy.

The anniversary reviews of 1887 and 1897, when Britain all over the world went wild with joy at the Coronation jubilee of the late Queen, will still be fresh in many minds. That 1897 review, with the greatest fleet the world had ever seen up to then—166 ships of every class brought from everywhere in the world to greet the "Queen of the Diamond Jubilee"—was a marvellous lesson to friend and foe all over the world.

## One of Edison's Jokes.

Edison was always a great joke player. Those ones he seemed to enjoy most were like the one he worked on one of the latest operators in the office where he was once employed. One night, when this fellow thought his day's work was over and was getting ready to go home, Edison slipped around to the office switchboard, made a connection with the lazy fellow's telephone key, called him down to the table and, supplied with an old newspaper, proceeded to read Mr. Lutz a long lot of presumably Associated Press stuff from New York. Edison was a lightning sender as well as a receiver from almost the beginning of his career, and the way he made that fellow work for two solid hours was a joy. After wearing him completely out, making him receive and copy the equivalent of about three or four newspaper columns, Edison suddenly came from behind the switchboard, exposed the joke to the poor fellow and wound up by telling him on the nose with the newspaper he had been sending from—Pearson's.

## An Independent Miller.

When Frederick built his famous palace of Sans Souci there happened to be a mill that greatly hampered him in the execution of his plans, and he asked the miller for how much he would sell it. The miller replied that for a long series of years his family had owned the mill, which had been passed from father to son, and that he would not sell it for any price. The king used every seduction, offered to build him a mill in a better place and pay him, besides, any sum he might demand, but the obstinate miller still persisted in his determination to preserve the inheritance to his ancestors.

Irritated at last by his conduct, the king sent for him and said in an angry tone:

"Why do you refuse to sell your mill notwithstanding all the advantages I have offered you?"

The miller repeated his reasons. "Do you know," continued the king, "that I could take it without giving you a penny?"

"Yes," returned the miller calmly. "It is not for the chamber of justice at Berlin."

The king was so flattered by this answer which showed that he was in favor of an act of injustice, that he dismissed the miller without further enquiry and changed the plan of his garden.

## A Philosopher's Fable.

Arthur Alder is responsible for this one.

"Folly, Genius and Common Sense once went walking and came to a stream. Genius, having his head in the clouds, naturally started to wade across, paying no attention to the depth. The water soon went over his head, and he was drowned. Common Sense hunted for a safe way to get across, and finally he found a foot log. As he got out about the center of the stream the log swayed, and he fell into the water and sank to rise no more. Folly stopped at the bank of the stream to amuse himself by throwing pebbles into the water and watching the ripples. He sat upon the pebble, cold bank until he caught a cold which developed into pneumonia, and he soon died. Moral—It doesn't make much difference, after all, whether you are a genius, a sage or a fool. You'll get it sooner or later anyway."

## It Only Seemed So.

The artist had invited her out for an ice cream soda somewhere and a ten mile walk afterward, so she was putting on her hat, which was of a size somewhat excessive, according to the styles.

"I don't like that hat at first," he said as she stuck the long pins in and turned her head to look at the effect in the mirror, "but I do now. It's a hat that grows on you."

"My goodness," she cried in dismay. "Has it got any larger?"—New York Press.

## A WINDSOR LADY'S APPEAL

Alto Women: I will send free, with full instructions, my home treatment which positively cures Leucorrhoea, Ulceration, Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Painful or Irregular Periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors or Growths, also Hot Flashes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back or Bowels, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, where caused by weakness peculiar to our sex. You can continue treatment at home at a cost of only about 12 cents a week. My book, "Woman's Own Medical Advice," also sent free on request. Write today. Address, Mrs. M. Sammers, Box H. 77, Windsor, Ont.

He—"So you've read my new novel. How did you like it?"

She—"I had down the volume with immense pleasure."—Boston Transcript.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Knicker—Do you think Shakespeare was a lawyer?

Becker—No; if he had been he would have made a fortune out of whether "Hamlet" was mad.—New York Sun.

## How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollar Reward for any person who can furnish the name of the person who stole the car from the station in the city of Toronto, Ontario, Canada. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toronto, Ont. We, the undersigned, have known P. J. Cheney for the last 12 years, and believe him perfectly reliable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. W. A. GIBSON, J. A. GIBSON, Toronto, Ont. Having known P. J. Cheney for the last 12 years, and believe him perfectly reliable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him. See also the Public Place for contribution.

Any man can have an appreciative audience by merely talking to himself.

After making a most careful study of the matter, I, U. S. Government scientists, state definitely that the common house fly is the principal means of distributing typhoid fever, dysentery and smallpox. Wilson's Fly Pails kill the flies and the disease germs, too. No other fly killer compares with Wilson's Fly Pails.

Visiting Stranger—It's curious what a strong hold this sport of baseball has on them.

Fan—It isn't sport! It's a long drawn out agony.—Chicago Tribune.

**Zan-Buk**

When troubled with sunburn, blisters, insect stings, sore feet, or heat rashes, apply Zan-Buk!

Surprising how quickly it eases the smarting and stings! Cures sores on young babies due to chafing.

Zan-Buk is made from pure herbals. No animal fats—no mineral poisons. Finest healer!

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**Absent Minded**

"Wilkins is the most absent minded cuss I ever met."

"How?"

"Why, the last time he got into the barber's chair he pinned the newspaper around his neck and began to read the local—Philadelphia Record."

**The Best Liver Pill.**—The action of the liver is easily disarranged. A sudden chill, undue exposure to the elements, indigestion in some favorite food, excess in drinking, are a few of the causes. But whatever may be the cause, Farnell's Vegetable Pills can be relied upon as the best corrective that can be taken. They are the leading liver pills, and they have no superiors among such preparations.

**Walking.**

The ordinary man who is employed indoors throughout the day does not take enough exercise. He needs the fresh air and sunshine of the outdoors, and no matter how tired he may be, a short time in the open air will rest him. If he has no opportunity to walk during the evening, he ought to do it in the morning. There is no better tonic than a two mile walk before going to work. Some business men who live some distance from their offices or stores walk down regularly every morning and are greatly benefited thereby. No matter how sluggish they may feel on arising, the morning walk puts them in good trim for the day's work. Exercise in the open air starts the blood circulating in every artery and vein in the entire system, opens up the pores of the skin, so that the waste matter in the body may be set free, limbers up the joints and muscles and puts one in shape for the duties of the day.—St. Joseph Gazette.

**The Meredith Cocoon.**

George Meredith, my home have been an altogether familiar author to the ordinary reader who craves for quick sensation. He never came down to the simplicity of Sherlock Holmes or Captain Kettle. Meredith required an acute and trained intellect before he could be appreciated.

It was once mentioned, in referring to the difficulty which some people experience in reading Meredith's novels, that the Meredith "cocoon" was very hard, but that the milk when reared proved to be very sweet. This joke got into the papers.

Two days afterward a well known firm of fruiterers and inquiry after these cocoons from a country customer: The letter was to the effect that, having read somewhere that Meredith's cocoons have had a large sale lately and that the milk was fashionable, the writer would like to have a few to try.—London Tatler.

**Her Row.**

"Peppa" married small Sadie, "m-mary canary is d-d-d!"

"Never mind, dear," replied her father, "I'll buy you another one."

"Oh, I'm no canary," rejoined Sadie, "but when I first saw the poor little thing I cried like a child."—Exchange.

**After the Race.**

"So your horse was distanced, was he?"

"Yes."

"Did you have anything on him?"

"I thought I had a jockey on him, but it seems I didn't."

**Times to Laugh.**

A.—Is the old man always so glib as this?—B.—By no means. He laughs twice a year, spring and fall, when the new women's hats come in.—Fishe guide Blatter.

**Strictly Business.**

Theoretically you can never be giving credit. It is to whom credit is due, don't you? Practical Man—Yes, but I make everybody else pay cash.—Chicago Tribune.

**There are no small steps in great falls.**—De Heits.

W. N. U., No. 758

**Carless**

He—"There was nearly a bad fire at the theatre."

She—"How was that?"

He—"The villain lit a cigarette and tossed the match into the snow."—St. Louis Times.

In the window of a little book store in Eighth avenue, New York, recently hoisted a great pile of Bibles, marked very low—never before were Bibles offered at such a bargain, and above them all, in big letters, was the inscription:

"Bibles sold as cheap as these."

—Woman's Home Companion.

The boat was three days out when one of the passengers was able to go on deck. There he met an old friend. "Hello, old chum," he exclaimed, "are you going over?" "Yes," replied his friends. "Are you?"—Young's Magazine.

"Why, that's a regular little printing press, isn't it?" remarked the visitor. "Yes," replied Mrs. Poppley. "Willie's uncle gave it to him on his birthday." "What a complete little thing! It's a self-ink, isn't it?" "I don't know, but Willie is."

**Hungry Higgins.**—A woman gimme a handout this mornin', den had de nerve 't ask me 't had a carpet for her.

**Dusty Doolittle.**—Wat did you say? "Hungry Higgins—I tol' her dat I was orful sorry, but I was all tised out from beatin' a railroad.—Chicago News.

**Mr. Gaudin.**—You said you'd gimme a quarter for a look of sis' hair. "Yes, Chester."

"Well, here's the whole sheet. Just cut off what you want."—Kansas City Times.

When a fellow is in a hole don't rub it in by looking down on him.

# SUNLIGHT SOAP



**HALF THE TOIL** of household work is taken away when Sunlight Soap is brought into the home. For thoroughly cleansing floors, metal-work, walls and woodwork, Sunlight is the most economical both in time and money.

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"I believe I did."

"What was it?"

Corus cause much suffering, but Hallway's Corn Care offers a speedy, sure, and satisfactory relief.

"Women, it is said, are returning to small waists."

"Um."

"And some of them are going to have trouble in getting back."—Washington Herald.

"One-half of the world does not know how the other half lives."

"It is gratifying to think that one-half of the world admits to its own business."—Pack.

**SHOE POLISH**

**Shays Shined.** Dust won't dull it. Rain won't spot it. Dampproof and waterproof. Keeps out moisture. Softens and preserves the leather. Just put it on, rub two or three times with a brush or cloth and brilliant and lasting shine results. No substitutes even half as good.

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#### Out and About

It would be hard to imagine more beautiful weather for holiday making than that which we were privileged to enjoy last Monday, Labor Day. The sun rising in a clear sky gave promise of a fine day. Nor was the promise broken. The day was delightfully warm with just enough breeze to prevent it being excessively hot. There was, as might be expected, a rush for the country, the town being almost deserted. The livery barns done an excellent business, all of them having calls for all the horses and rigs that were obtainable. There were several fishing and shooting parties out and they all returned with good bags. Labor Day of 1909 will long be remembered as one of the finest holidays of the year.

Alberta has this year made a reputation as a grain growing province that it would be hard to beat. The lovely weather of the last week is rapidly ripening that of the grain that is not already out. Judging from the crop reports of the crops from all over the province the yield will be the best ever. With the exception of a small percentage the grain is all cut, and the thresher will soon be busy turning out thousands of bushels of grain that will add to the prosperity of the whole province.

Perhaps one of the best ways of proving that the country is this year giving forth a splendid yield, is the manner in which the farmer is stocking his farm with machinery. The farmers in the Didsbury district have this year been heavy purchasers of farm machinery which plainly illustrates the fact that they have great faith in the crop producing qualities of the land. Through the courtesy of the machinery merchants in town we are able to give, approximately, the amount of machinery sold here this year. Binders, 56; mowers, 97; rakes 44; riding plows, 101; walking plows, 142; Waggon 101; Harrows, 85; drills, 71.

These figures gives one an idea of the amount of business done in that line at Didsbury. We need nothing more to testify to the fertility of the Didsbury district in particular and Alberta in general.

#### Summer Following Detrimental to Soil Fertility

It has become a practice in Western Canada and the United States, where wheat lands fail to give satisfactory returns, to occasionally follow the land, and where soils have become much worn through long periods of cultivation, to practice fallowing alternate years. A larger yield of wheat is always secured after a years fallow; because of this many have looked upon fallowing as a desirable practice to improve the quality of the soil, so as to secure large yields of grain. Investigation has been made upon this point show that the benefits from fallowing are only temporary, and that if the practice is long continued, the soils are eventually reduced in fertility to such an extent that they fail to respond to this system of treatment.

When land is fallowed, the vegetable matter in the form of humus rapidly decays, and there is a liberation of the

element nitrogen. The liberation of nitrogen in small amounts is desirable, but unfortunately there is more liberated than can be utilized by the crop. The nitrogen which is made available through processes of decay does not accumulate in the soil, but is leached out in the drain waters and escapes into the air in the form of volatile gases. Experiments show that when summer fallowing is practiced, for every sound of nitrogen utilized by the crop five to six pounds are lost through drainage and volatilizing of the gaseous nitrogen products. This is a heavier drain than any soil is capable of sustaining. In European countries, particularly in England, where the practice has been thoroughly investigated it has been found that, if long continued, fallowing eventually reduces the soil to a lower state of fertility than when a crop is raised continually upon the land. Fallowing occasionally to destroy weeds or to avoid insect pests, is desirable, but it is not an economical practice.

During recent years lands have so increased in price that it has become unprofitable to allow the land to be idle for an entire year of fallow. In place of fallowing a good rotation should be substituted. Land should be given an opportunity to acquire new stores of vegetable matter and nitrogen. When of fallowing, a good rotation should be both the humus and nitrogen of the soil occurs and the temporary benefits are soon lost in the reduced condition of the crop producing power of the soil. In some localities, particularly in arid regions, fallowing is advantageously practiced where the rainfall is not sufficient to allow a crop to be produced every year. Under such conditions the decay of the humus and loss of the nitrogen is probably not as great as in regions of heavier rainfall.

The practice of summer fallowing rich lands should be discontinued, as it results in an unnecessary loss of large amounts of plant food. Some of the prairie soils originally contained as high as 4 of a per cent of nitrogen; approximately 12,000 lbs per acre to a depth of one foot. A wheat crop removes about 40 pounds of nitrogen per year. It has been found that when such soils have been heavily cropped to grains, the summer fallowing has been practiced, the nitrogen content was reduced in thirty years to 25 and even to 2 of a per cent. Nearly half of the original store of nitrogen in these soils has been lost through injudicious methods of cultivation during a comparatively short time. When a soil is brought under a good system of rotation and a grass crop is grown, this loss of nitrogen is checked and new stores are added to the soil. Summer fallowing, if long continued, unnecessarily reduces the fertility of the soil.

PROF. HARRY SNYDER.

—Farm Crops.

Cloy and Simmons, Ltd., wholesale fruit dealers, Calgary, are reported going into liquidation.

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#### Mysterious Affair

A mysterious affair is engaging the attention of Constable Mehan at Morley, a complaint having been made to him on Sunday last by George McDougal that three colts of his had been shot while in the pasture on his ranch. Two were dead and a third wounded in the hip by a rifle bullet. The shooting is supposed to have been done about August 15th, and though various suspicions are rife in the neighborhood, there seems to be little direct evidence available at present. We hope the malicious blackguard who did this cowardly thing may be detected and punished as he deserves.

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#### \$5 REWARD

\$5 reward for information leading to the recovery of the following described horse: 2 yr. old dark bay mare, white face and legs, branded T on right jaw, also one yearling dark bay horse colt, likely with above described mare, with no brand. Also strayed one black heifer, rising 2 yrs. old, branded T on half diamond, on left thigh. C. K. TURNER, Olds F. O., 16 N.E. Didsbury.

#### ESTRAY

On the premises of Jacob Rhinehardt the following described horse: 2 yr. old, bay, one yearling dark bay horse colt, likely with above described mare, with no brand. Also strayed one black heifer, rising 2 yrs. old, branded T on half diamond, on left thigh. C. K. TURNER, Olds F. O., 16 N.E. Didsbury.

#### STRAYED

About the beginning of July, from Sec. 20, Tp. 31, Rg. 34 W. 12 miles west of Didsbury, one 2 yr. old mare, with white left hind foot. Branded SS on writing on left shoulder. A reward will be given for the return of this horse, or information leading to same.—Apply to L. Swingle, Didsbury.

#### \$10 REWARD

Strayed, a team of bay geldings, with white face, one has two white feet and the other four. One yearling dark bay horse, square on right shoulder. Strayed from railway track about 2 1/2 miles south of Didsbury. Anyone returning these horses will be rewarded with the above sum. Apply to T. E. SMITH, Olds.

#### ESTRAY—\$20 REWARD

A light sorrel 3 yr. old, branded KN on flank. Had halter on when last seen. Also one old dark horse with hump on knees. No noticeable brand, last seen at L. Goods, Stetterville. A reward of \$20 will be given for information leading to the return of these horses. S. J. CONNOR, Airdrie.

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## The Man of the Hour

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(Continued.)

Slowly, little by little, Horrigan's eyes dropped. He moved awkwardly to one side from his position in front of the door and Bennett, without so much as a backward look, passed out. The boss, like a man in a daze, sank heavily into a chair and gazed straight ahead of him, his usually red face gray and pasty.

But he was not to enjoy even the brief boon of solitude. From the ante-room Gibbs strode in.

"They're going over some unimportant preliminary business," remarked the broker, "so I came out for a breath of fresh air. How are things going?"

"We're best," grunted Horrigan, not looking up.

"Best?" screamed Gibbs, absent and inert at the news. "You don't mean it! You can't mean it! Great heaven!"

"The sight of the other's cowardly emotion seemed to rouse Horrigan from his apathy.

"If I can stand it, you can," he snarled. "You only lose your percentage on the deal, while I—"

"A nerveless fellow," Gibbs, too panic stricken to heed his own indication. "Every cent I had in the world."

He checked himself an instant too late.

"So?" drawled Horrigan, his keen little eyes staring the other with boundless contempt. "So it was you who were secretly buying up the stock and talking in to our game, hey?"

"I'm ruined! Broke! And—"

"And you've got it coming to you, you whining traitor! The man who goes back on his partners deserves all the kicking he gets."

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"You could cut the atmosphere in there with a knife," Perry was saying. "Williams doesn't think the Borough bill will come up for half an hour or so. We'd better spend the time till then in here than to stay there and turn our lungs into a microphone too."

Dallas did not answer. She sat down by the table and rested her head dejectedly on the little plumed hand.

The sight of Bennett, his grave, hopeless appeal to her; the calm, utter despair of his brave face—all these had affected her deeply. Perry noticed with brotherly concern her look and attitude.

"Feeling faint?" he asked.

"No, I'm all right, thanks."

"You look pretty near as blue as Alway. He—"

"Don't let's talk of him, please," she begged.

"Why not? He's the whitest chap this side of Whiteville."

"That's what I used to think, but I know better now."

"Then, miss," broke in a voice from the doorway, "you're entitled to another 'know.'"

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The sound of voices in the corridor roused her from her bitter reverie.

"He's coming up," she said, "and any should see her hair stained face, but the speakers, though they drew near, did not enter Horrigan's office."

Instantly they stepped into the adjoining committee room. The messenger had left ajar the door between the two rooms. Realizing this and not wishing to be seen, Dallas slunk back toward the wall, fearful of detection. Then the voice of one of the speakers suddenly arrested her notice.

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When the time came to leave Tyre the disciples there, men, women and children, accompanied Paul's party out of the city down to the shore, and all knelt down on the shore and prayed.

What an object lesson for us there may have been looking out there were always some watching us with earth on their faces, some who bear the name of Christ have been known to shrink from praying before others.

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strongly, as a forerunner of eternal glory. May we ever say from the heart cheerfully, "Thy will be done." Is it possible for us to think that we are in the will of God when we are so working out our own will? It is to be feared so. I could believe that Paul was right in resisting all the entreaties of his fellow believers and fellow laborers under the kingdom and determining to go to Jerusalem at any cost were it not that the Spirit said to Paul that he should not go (Acts 17). The disciples said to Paul through the Spirit that he should not go.

**Government Pork Packing Plant**  
Edmonton.—W. T. Finley, minister of agriculture, issues a rumor to the effect that the provincial government is proposing to take over a local packing house for pork packing purposes in fulfillment of the promise of a government owned and operated packing plant. The government's proposal, as outlined at the last session of the provincial legislature in accordance with the recommendation submitted by the pork packing commission, is to establish a government packing plant, provided the farmers agree to raise a certain number of hogs per year, and I furnish a guarantee to sell their hogs to the government plant only.

For the purpose of ascertaining whether the farmers of the province are ready to enter an agreement to this effect, the department of agriculture has placed a man in the field around all the farmers in turn. The agent is still at work, and until he completes his work the government will not take any step in the matter. There is an appropriation of \$50,000 towards the establishment of the plant, and the government is prepared to expend the moment it is assured that the farmers are at his back.

**Leprosy Robbed of Horrors**  
Bergen, Norway.—Dr. G. Armuer Hansen, who has been at the Copenhagen hospital, when questioned, respecting some of the problems before the leprosy commission, now in session here, agreed in saying that the disease is not hereditary or contagious, though heretofore it has been held to be both.

The bacilli, they say, enter the body everywhere and blood-sucking insects, such as gnats and bedbugs, are probably instrumental in transmitting the disease.

Scientific experience, said these authorities, has shown that the disease is not incurable, about 60 per cent of the cases showing recovery. Subsequently, however, the disease, when held, were dangerous, but radium possibly was curative in its effect.

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**Political Prisoners Get Their Freedom**  
Harbin, Manchuria.—Three members of a party of four Russian political prisoners, who were at Harbin, when the fourth man is dead. The prisoners were being confined in the city of Harbin, where they were held, were dangerous, but radium possibly was curative in its effect.

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**Enough Said**  
Ketchikan, Alaska.—The widow of a man who had been killed in a recent fire, said the girl, "must be three or four hundred years old, eh, Bill?"

"Three thousand years, more likely," estimated her companion.

"Aw, go on, Bill. Why, we're only in 1908 now."

**Much in a Name**  
"What became of that paper you were going to start in the interval of fulfilling the poor tramp?" asked the interviewer.

"Ah, it fell through," confessed the great reformer, with much agitation, "and all on account of the blooming catchiness of the printer."

"Did he make a grave error?"

"I should say so. You know the parable to be named the 'Bar of Hope.' Well, that idiot of a printer changed it to the 'Bar of Soap,' and as soon as my constituents heard the name they started running and are running yet."

**Investigation at Regina**  
Regina.—Ald. Everett has asked for an investigation into the charges made against himself and Ald. Wilkinson.

**His Doubtful Status**  
"Engaged to that beautiful girl and yet not married?"

"Well, she's gone in by turns for rowing, and tennis, and horses, and all such things."

"Sometimes I wonder if I'm a sweetheart or merely a fad."

**Why the Tears Came**  
She offered an explanation of her tears, which might be said to be:

"I've been to a wedding," she said, "I always cry more at a wedding than at a funeral. It's so much more heaven."

Have you ever noticed that all the men who go to rust curs are married men?



"Gibbs, I didn't think there was so much of a cur as you in all the world."

"I thought I understood how utterly rotten you were, but I didn't believe there was a man living who could behave himself as you've just done."

"—I began Gibbs, in bewilderment."

(To be Continued.)

**A Mystery to Father.**

"So your daughter has gone to Europe, after all?"

"Yes," drawled Farmer Hazened; "she's been daffy 'I've ever since she left school. Those few female girls college had put ideas into women's heads."

"Her mother was so set 'I'd Yurp. She don't know a soul that."

"Lippinott's"





## The Road Section Pro-position

(Continued from last week)

As previously pointed out, the Local Improvement Districts and the province are each expending about \$500,000 a year on roads and bridges, and another half million is required. The question now resolves itself to the point as to who should contribute the remaining \$500,000. I consider, that after scrutinizing this very knotty problem and weighing its various details with the utmost precision, the Federal Government, the Provincial Government and the proposed Municipalities that are to supplant the present Local Improvement Districts should each put up dollar for dollar towards the building up of our highways in this province; and to expect the Municipalities (which practically means the farmers) to do it unaided, is a gross injustice in every respect and a burden too difficult for them to bear.

Therefore, assuming that the Provincial Government will continue to contribute annually equally with the so called Municipalities, I will proceed to explain the scheme by which the idea of the Ottawa Government assisting us can be carried into practice.

To begin with, the Ottawa Government owns and controls all the unincorporated and unappropriated public domain in the province, and for the sake of brevity we will suppose they have handed over to the Province all undisposed of secs. 9 and 27 in each township; The Province to handle same towards the building of roads and bridges, much the same as sections 11 and 29 are being handled for educational purposes, except that the total proceeds (and a portion thereof) be placed in a fund by itself, from which these road appropriations could be disbursed from time to time as required. I estimate the area of these sections at the present time at about 6,000,000 acres, and putting a value of \$5.00 per acre on them means that we would realize over thirty million dollars out of the lot, which would give us the aforesaid \$500,000 annually for sixty years, say nothing of the increase of value that would incidentally accrue from time to time as the province became more settled and developed. In submitting this proposition to the road interested public, it is necessary to elucidate in a brief but concise way our claim on this land, for without we can establish a claim on the land in question, this suggestion is of no avail.

(Continued next week.)

## Partial List For Didsbury's Fall Fair, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 5th and 6th.

### SWINE

#### CLASS XIII.—Purebred Yorkshire.

SEC.		1st.	2nd.
1	Purebred Boar, 1 yr. and over.....	\$ 4	\$ 2
2	" " Boar, under 1 yr.....	3	1
3	" " Sow, 1 yr. and over.....	3	2
4	" " Sow, under 1 yr.....	3	1
5	" " Pair, under 6 months.....	3	1
6	" " Sow, with litter of pigs, 4 months and under.....	5	2

The prizes in the following varieties and classes are the same as above:—Class 14, Purebred Berkshire; Class 15, Purebred Tamworth; Class 16, Purebred Poland China, and any other Purebred Variety.

#### CLASS XVII

1	Pair Bacon Hogs.....	\$ 5	\$ 2
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### SHEEP

#### CLASS XVIII

SEC.		1st.	2nd.	3rd.
1	Ram, any age, long wool.....	\$ 3	\$ 2	\$ 1
2	Ram, any age, short wool.....	3	2	1
3	Pair Ewes, long wool.....	3	2	1
4	Pair Ewes, short wool.....	3	2	1
5	Pair Lambs, long wool.....	3	2	1
6	Pair Lambs, short wool.....	3	2	1

### POULTRY

#### CLASS XIX

SEC.		1st.	2nd.	3rd.
1	Turkey Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50
2	Turkey Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3	Gander.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4	Goose.....	1.50	1.00	.50
5	Drake.....	1.50	1.00	.50
6	Duck.....	1.50	1.00	.50

#### CLASS XX.—Barred Plymouth Rocks

1	Cock.....	\$1.50	\$1.00	\$.50
2	Hen.....	1.50	1.00	.50
3	Cockerel.....	1.50	1.00	.50
4	Pullet.....	1.50	1.00	.50

The prizes in the following varieties and classes are the same as class XX:—Class 21, White Rocks; Class 22, Black Minorcas; Class 23, Black Spanish; Class 24, Leghorns; Class 25, Wyandottes; Class 26, Game; Class 27, Buff Orpingtons; Class 28, Partridge Cochins; Class 29, Bantams; Class 30, Guineas Fowls.

### GRAINS.—GROWN 1909

#### CLASS XXXI

SEC.		1st.	2nd.
1	Farm Display.....	\$ 5.00	\$ 3.00
2	Bushel of Red Fall Wheat.....	2.00	1.00
3	Bushel of White Fall Wheat.....	2.00	1.00
4	Bushel of Spring Wheat.....	2.00	1.00
5	Sheaf of Fall Wheat.....	1.00	.50
6	Bushel of Barley.....	1.00	.50
7	Sheaf of Barley.....	1.00	.50
8	Bushel of White Oats.....	1.00	.50
9	Bushel of Black Oats.....	1.00	.50
10	Sheaf of Oats.....	1.00	.50
11	Timothy Seed, bushel.....	1.00	.50
12	Sheaf of Timothy.....	1.00	.50
13	Flax Seed, bushel.....	1.00	.50
14	Sheaf of Flax.....	1.00	.50
15	Collection of Sheaves of Wheat, Barley and Oats.....	4.00	1.00
16	Pock of Fowl Peas.....	1.00	.50
17	Sheaf of Alfalfa.....	1.00	.50
18	Sheaf of Brome Grass.....	1.00	.50

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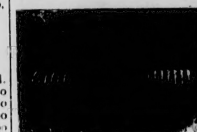
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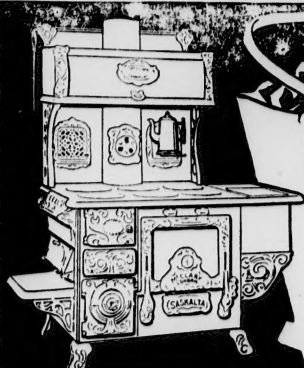
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**To Clean Harness**

To clean harness, use neither turpentine nor benzine, nor any compound of such a nature; these burn the grain of the leather.

Unlucky every strap, and with a scraper remove the greasy dirt that has accumulated; then wash in tepid water, using a good harness soap. Avoid letting the leather absorb more water than is necessary.

After washing well, wipe off each strap, making it ready for a coat of oil, working the oil in around the buckles, the bars, etc. Eureka harness oil is a good oil to use.

Next lay out the straps and coat them on all parts with warm tallow, which you apply with a brush. Put the straps aside for ten hours; then rub off the surplus tallow, finally rubbing with a rag until you work up a good polish. Be careful to remove the tallow from around the stitching.

Leather treated after this method will always remain in prime condition, and the stitches will not rip.—Farm Crops.

**Murderer's Body Found in Well**

The body of Anton Waldrich, a Bohemian homesteader, who murdered his wife near Stettler on Dominion Day has just been discovered in an old well on T. Braams' farm three miles south-east of Stettler. An inquest was held on Friday and a verdict that Waldrich committed suicide while of unsound mind was returned.

**Rod and Gun for September**

September is noted for duck hunting and the numerous sportsmen who pursue this form of sport with ardour will find their favorite recreation dealt with in ample fashion in the September issue of Rod and Gun in Canada, published by W. J. Taylor, at Woodstock, Ontario. This healthy and invigorating sport receives fine treatment in stories of duck hunting in Ontario, Manitoba and Saskatchewan, goose shooting in the West and papers on the ruffed grouse as found in British Columbia and Alberta. Light travel and holiday sketches, with fishing papers, give variety and interest to the issue. Dog lovers will welcome a further paper by Mr. Clapham dealing with the Alredale terrier. Altogether a better companion for the sportsman either at home, in camp or on his travels, can be secured than a copy of this fine issue.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS**

IN THE MATTER of the estate of Samuel R. Hinchley, late of the town of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that an Order has been made, dated the 19th day of August, A. D., 1909 by the Honorable Mr. Justice Stuart for all creditors and others having claim against the estate of SAMUEL R. HINCHEY late of the town of Didsbury in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased, who died on or about the 21st day of May A. D., 1909, at Didsbury aforesaid, and to whose estate, Letters of Administration were on the 6th day of July, A. D., 1909, granted to George Hinchley by the District court of the District of Calgary: are hereby required to send in particulars of their respective claims, verified by affidavit or Statutory Declaration together with a Statement of security (if any) held by them respectively to Messrs. Allan, Gordon & Bryant of the City of Regina in the Province of Saskatchewan, Solicitors for the said Administrator, by mailing postage prepaid or otherwise delivering same to the said Solicitors on or before the 1st day of October, A.D., 1909, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims which the Solicitor for the said Administrator shall then have had notice, and the said Administrator shall not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or of any part thereof so distributed to any person whose claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 19th day of August, A. D. 1909. ALLAN, GORDON & BRYANT, Solicitors for George Hinchley, the above named Administrator.

**Stern**

Our private Telephone line is getting an increase of six more members presently. It is a great help already to the few that have joined.

The crops are just about all cut and threshing will commence this week.

A brand new threshing rig is coming out into our settlement. It's a J. I. Case outfit too.

The Pat Burns Co., is going to run a feed camp next winter, on the premises of Phil Smith. A lot of hay is being put up around here for it.

J. L. Toews is glad to announce the arrival of a bouncing baby girl. See the smile he wears.

Our new town "Acme" is growing very fast; they expect the rails next month.

Some years ago Sir Charles Tupper was laughed at because he predicted that some day the West would produce one hundred million bushels of wheat. The aged statesman has lived to see his dream come true, and probably he is sorry he did not say five hundred million instead of one hundred million.—Commercial.

**The Churches**

**Presbyterian**

Evening, 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.

**Methodist**

Service for next Sunday at 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School at 2:30 p.m.  
Special class for adults conducted by the Pastor.

All are cordially welcome.  
W. R. SEELEY Pastor

**Evangelical**

3 p.m. Preaching Service.  
7:30 p.m. Preaching Service.  
2 p.m. Sunday School.  
Everybody is made welcome.  
C. S. FINKBEINER Pastor.

**St. Cyprian's Parish Church**  
Divine service at 7:30 p.m.  
All are invited and cordially welcome.

H. M. SHORR, B.A., Curate in Charge.

**St. Paul's German Lutheran Church**

(5 miles west and 2½ miles south of Didsbury.)

Services every Sunday at 10:30 a.m.  
Services in Sunnyslope, Trochu, Inmanland and Red Lodge by appointment.

P. W. FALKENROTH, Pastor.

**DIDSBURY MARKETS**

Steers, grain fed, live	3 1/2
Beef, grain fed, dressed	6 00
Beef, range, dressed	5
Veal, dressed	6 50
Hogs, live	7 50
Hides, dressed	9 25
Bacon, No. 1, smoked	0 22
Hams, No. 1	0 22
Mutton, dressed	0 12
Chickens, spring	0 12
Chickens, live	0 13
Hides, green	0 05
Hides, dry flint	0 08
Butter, Choice	0 17
Eggs	0 24
Potatoes, bushel	0 50
Hay, upland	0 50
Hay, timothy	0 50
Wheat No. 1 Red	0 75
Wheat No. 1 White	0 70
Wheat No. 1 Northern	0 71
Wheat No. 1 Feed	0 35
Flax	1 00
Rye	0 45
Barley	0 28
Oats	0 73

**Alberta Fairs**

The following are the dates set by the annual convention of the Alberta Agricultural Fairs Association for the fairs to be held in Alberta in 1909:

Olds, September 13 and 14.  
Leduc, September 21.  
Daysland, September 22 and 23.  
Sedgewick, September 24.  
Lloydminster, September 27.  
Innisfree, September 28 and 29.  
Vegreville, September 29.  
Vermilion, Sept. 30 and October 1.  
Viking, October 5.  
Raymond, September 16 and 17.  
Nanton, September 20 and 21.  
Pincher Creek, September 22.  
Magrath, September 23 and 24.  
Cardston, September 28 and 29.  
Taher, September 30.  
Irwin, October 1.  
Didsbury, October 5 and 6.  
Ponoka, October 6 and 7.  
Lacombe, October 7 and 8.  
Three Hills, October 12.  
Pridis, October 14.  
Alix, September 29.



**King Hiram Lodge No. 21, A.F. & A.M.**  
meets every Tuesday evening on or before full moon. All visiting brethren welcome.  
J. O. WILLIAMS, W. H. SMITH, Secretary.



**DIDSBURY LODGE NO. 18, I.O.O.F.**  
Meets in Fraternity Hall, Didsbury, every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Visiting Oddfellows always welcome.  
J. ANDERSON, S. WOODS, Secretary.

**C. O. F.**

**Court Rosebud, No. 940, Canadian Order of Foresters** meet at the Lodge rooms, Fraternity Hall, every first and third Wednesday of each month.  
H. E. OSWOND, E. MORRISON, Secretary.

**C. L. PETERSON**  
Conveyancer, Accountant

Real Estate and Insurance, Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, Official Auditor, Issuer of Marriage Licenses.  
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**Didsbury Town Council**

1909

MAYOR, D. C. CORLITT.  
COUNCILLORS  
O. W. Hembling, H. E. Osmond, W. Hunsberger, J. E. Liesemer, Jonathan Good, D. G. Moyer.  
Town Clerk, J. M. Reel.  
Solicitor, H. S. Patterson.  
Health Officer, Dr. G. M. Reid.  
Town Constable, P. Vernon.  
COMMITTEES  
CIVIC WORKS  
W. Hunsberger, D. G. Moyer, O. W. Hembling.  
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H. E. Osmond, D. G. Moyer, J. E. Liesemer.  
FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT  
O. W. Hembling, D. G. Moyer, H. E. Osmond.  
SANITATION  
W. Hunsberger, J. E. Liesemer, J. Good.  
POLICE AND LIGHT  
J. Good, W. Hunsberger, J. E. Liesemer.  
FINANCE  
O. W. Hembling, H. E. Osmond, J. Good.  
BY-LAWS  
H. E. Osmond, O. W. Hembling, J. E. Liesemer.  
NOTE.—First name chairman of committee

**Notice**

All shooting will be prohibited on the east half of Sec. 11, and west half of Sec. 12, T. 31, R. 1, W. 5. Theo. Roist Ben. Rosenberger W. H. Snyder

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